

# **A METHOD AND DEVICE TO DISTINGUISH BETWEEN VOICE CONVERSATION AND AUTOMATED SPEECH RECOGNITION**

## **ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE**

5 A method and device for performing some preprocessing on voice transmissions  
depending upon the intended destination of the transmission. The device includes a receiving  
component configured to receive a voice signal from a source over a network. The device  
also includes a processing component configured to determine a destination address  
associated with the received signal, determine a signal processing algorithm from a plurality  
of signal processing algorithms based on the determined address, and process the voice signal  
10 according to the specified algorithm. The device further includes a delivery component  
configured to send the processed signal to the associated address.

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